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To: EMS Software Vendors
Interested EMS Agencies

Re: Request for Proposal for Statewide Web-based Pre-hospital Patient Care Reporting Application

The Office of Emergency Medical Services is pleased to announce that it will soon be posting a request for proposals (RFP) for a Statewide Web-based pre-hospital information application to upgrade its current Pre-hospital Patient Care Reporting program. The RFP will be posted on the Virginia procurement Website *eVA* (electronic Virginia). Posting of the RFP on eVA will be the official method used to announce the RFP to potential bidders. Bidders should not depend upon other means of notification that the RFP has been made public. The Web address for eVA is <http://www.eva.virginia.gov/>. To view RFP announcements, interested bidders should click on the quick link titled "Solicitations and Awards (VBO)". Interested parties can search for the RFP, which will be called the "EMS Registry", or view by date.

Vendors can also register with eVA by clicking on the "Sign Up" tab. Registering with eVA will be required of the vendor that ultimately wins the contract award. The RFP was originally planned to be released on the date of this memo and all levels of approval have been achieved, so no significant delays are expected. The RFP provides adequate details describing the application(s) that the OEMS is seeking. All questions related to the EMS Registry RFP shall be directed to the OEMS as prescribed within the RFP itself.

Some information on the EMS Registry project can be found on the OEMS Webpage at <http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/OEMS/Trauma/EMSRegistry.htm>.

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